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SUBJECT: IDENTIFICATION OF PUBLIC PROCUREMENT ENTITIES OF
CENTRAL GOVERNMENTS IN SELECTED DEVELOPED COUNTRIES

REF: STATE 66974

1. SUPPLEMENT TO STATE 66974 FOR SWITZERLAND FOLLOWS.

2. DEPARTMENTS: FEDERAL DEPARTMENTS OF INTERIOR; JUSTICE
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AND POLICY; FINANCE AND CUSTOMS; PUBLIC ECONOMY; TRANSPORT,
COMMUNICATIONS, AND ENERGY; DEFENSE; FEDERAL POLITICAL
DEPARTMENT (FOREIGN MINISTRY); AND (FEDERAL CHANCELLERY).
AS THE SWISS GOVERNMENT ASSUMES NEW RESPONSIBILITIES, NEW
CENTRAL AGENCIES AND INSTITUTIONS ARE CREATED IN LIEU OF
FORMING NEW DEPARTMENTS. THESE AGENCIES ARE THEN PLACED
UNDER THE GENERAL SUPERVISION OF ONE OF SEVEN FEDERAL

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DEPARTMENTS.

3. COMMISSIONS, ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCILS AND OTHER CENTRAL GOVERNMENT INSTITUTIONS: FEDERAL SWISS RAILWAYS; POST, TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH; FEDERAL POLYTECHNICAL SCHOOLS (AT ZURICH AND LAUSANNE); SWISSAIR (GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP SHARE IS 24 PERCENT).

4. RESPONSIBILITY FOR SUPPLY OF ELECTRICITY FALLS ON ENTERPRISES CONTROLLED BY GOVERNMENTS OF CANTONS AND ON COMMUNAL ADMINISTRATIONS WHICH CO-EXIST WITH PRIVATE OR SEMI-PRIVATE ENTERPRISE. COMMUNES HAVE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY FOR SUPPLY OF WATER. THE SUPPLY OF GAS IS ALMOST ENTIRELY CONTROLLED BY THE COMMUNES. VANCE

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